



NATALIE AH SOON

Natalie Tuālemoso Ah Soon is a passionate, dynamic, and innovative public health practitioner with 12+ years of experience advancing health and mental health equity. She has experience working with diverse, under-served, and hard-to-serve populations on the local, state, and national level. Her work is focused in the areas of mental health, health, healthcare, health promotion, health education, policy advocacy and development, federally-qualified community health centers, partnership development, curriculum development, designing and managing programs, implementing and evaluating evidence-based, practice-based, and nuanced-based approaches to public health and mental health.

Currently, Ms. Ah Soon directs two distinct mental health prevention-early intervention/ population-focused programs for RAMS, Inc.: Asian and Pacific Islander Mental Health Collaborative in San Francisco County and Pacific Islander Wellness Initiative in Alameda County. She also coordinates the Asian and Pacific Islander Health Parity Coalition, including serving a leadership role on the Joint Health Equity Coalition in SF. Ms. Ah Soon is a co-founder and co-chair of the Regional Pacific Islander Taskforce in the SF Bay Area, focusing on increasing the visibility of Pacific Islander health and social disparities and its strengths and assets.

Ms. Ah Soon holds a Master of Public Health from San Jose State University. She is a nurturing and protective mother and a charming spouse. She is a proud native of American Samoa and fluent in Samoan.